

City News For Your Information June 10, 2010

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From the Public Works Department



Overhead Sign at US 93 Clarification - NDOT District 1 staff has been meeting with local merchants and the Boulder City Chamber of Commerce to discuss changes to the overhead sign on US 93 near VONS. They reached an agreement to add the language, "US 93 (**shield sign on the left**) right two lanes". The Chamber submitted a formal request to the City on May 19. Per NDOT's request, Public Works sent a letter to District 1 on May 20 requesting the above change to the overhead sign.

Battery Victim Received Multiple Lacerations and Stab Wounds

On June 7, 2010, at approximately 3:27 a.m., officers from the Boulder City Police Department responded to the 500 block of Cayuga Court for a reported fight between two male adults.

Upon arrival officers learned one male adult had received multiple lacerations and stab wounds during the melee. The injured male had been transported by a friend to Boulder City Hospital prior to officers arriving on scene.

A thorough investigation was conducted and led to the arrest of 38-year old Shon Doughty. Doughty was charged with battery with a deadly weapon and subsequently booked into Clark County Detention Center.

The victim is listed as being in stable condition and is currently at the hospital recovering from the attack.

Anyone with information on the incident is asked to contact Officer Mike Daniel at 702-293-9224.

Rollover Crash at Nelson Road

On June 6, 2010, at approximately 6:55 p.m., the Boulder City Police and Fire Departments were dispatched to a one-vehicle rollover at milepost three on State Road (SR)165, Nelson Road.

When the first officer arrived at the scene, he found a silver 2004 Volkswagen Passat off the roadway resting on its roof. Inside the vehicle was the driver, Michael Schultz, a 20-year-old male from Henderson and a passenger, Cory Bradbury, a 22-year-old visiting from out of state.

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Both occupants were unconscious but breathing. Schultz had injuries to his head and arm, and Bradbury had injuries to his head. Boulder City Fire personnel had to extricate both occupants from the vehicle. Schultz was transported by ambulance to UMC, and Bradbury was airlifted to UMC. Both are listed in critical condition.

SR 165 eastbound traffic was shut down for four hours so officers could investigate the accident. Westbound traffic was routed around the accident.

The accident is still under investigation by the Boulder City Police Department Traffic Safety Bureau. Excessive speed appears to be a major contributing factor.

SUMMER POOL HOURS

June 7, 2010 through August 23, 2010

Monday through Friday 6:30am - 9:00am....**Adult lap swim

*Monday-Thursday ONLY 11:00am - 12:00pm......Adult lap swim

1:00pm - 5:00pm.....**Open Swim** 5:00pm - 6:00pm.....**Family Hour**

Saturday 7:00am - 9:00am.....Adult lap Swim

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Sunday (5/30 to 9/5) 1:00pm - 5:00pm.....**Open Swim**

Court and Office Hours

Monday through Thursday 6:30am - 8:00pm

Friday 6:30am – 11:00am

1:00pm - 8:00pm

Saturday 7:00am - 9:00am

1:00pm - 6:00pm

Sunday (5/30 to 9/5) 1:00pm - 5:00pm

For further information, call 293-9286.

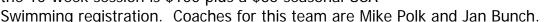
^{*}There are limited lanes available during this time!

^{**} The "OPEN" section of the pool is not available for use prior to 1:00pm during adult lap swim Monday – Thursday due to classes being held in that area!

New This Summer: Be a Swim Star!

The Boulder City-Henderson Swim Team invites all swimmers ages 7-12 who love to swim and would like a chance to learn to race to join the Swim Team this summer.

Beginning June 1, 2010, there will be a 10-week summer session at the Boulder City Pool. Sessions take place Monday through Friday from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. Cost of the 10-week session is \$100 plus a \$35 seasonal USA





Swimmers can sign up at the Boulder City Pool or call 293-9286 or you can e-mail Mike Polk at MSPbch@aol.com.

More From the BC Pool

In preparation for the *10th Annual Cardboard Boat Race* to be held on Wednesday, July 21, the staff at the Boulder City Pool will host a "Cardboard Boat Building Workshop" on Friday, July 16 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. at the pool. Staff will have generic supplies, such as glue, scissors, rulers, pencils, pens and some markers, to help with the boat building. Be sure to bring specific supplies needed to build that special boat, namely cardboard, your captain and any special items you want to add on. Remember: no plastic bottles, foam or floatation items are allows. While you are working on your boat, snacks will be supplied. Please call 293-9286 ASAP to register for this workshop since space is limited.

10th Annual Cardboard Boat Race takes place Wednesday, July 21, 2010 with registration and judging beginning at 6 p.m. at the pool. Races begin at 7 p.m. Awards will be given for the most original boat, the most futuristic boat and the funniest boat. There will also be a Mayor's Award. First and second place medals will be given during the water races.

Social Security Column

From Rita Meier, Nevada Public Affairs Specialist

New "MyMoney" Website Can Help You With Your Money

There's good news for Americans who want help getting a handle on their finances. The official government website dedicated to teaching all Americans the basics of financial education, www.mymoney.gov, is now loaded with more information and is even easier to use.

The new site has enhanced interactive features and provides more resources to Americans seeking information that can help with their personal financial decisions.

The new www.mymoney.gov website creates an online point of access to financial information from the 21 federal agencies, departments, and bureaus -- including Social Security -- that comprise the Financial Literacy and Education Commission. Visitors to the site can find information about how to

plan, financially, for a host of life events, such as the birth or adoption of a child, home ownership, or retirement. Users also can find information targeted to their personal or professional situation. For instance, the site offers resources for teachers, military service members, women, parents, youth, and employers. The site also provides money management tools including a financial savings calculator, worksheets for establishing a household budget, and a college preparation checklist. The site also is available in Spanish. The effort to make the website as helpful and useful to Americans will be ongoing, with improvements expected to continue.

In addition to being a member of the commission responsible for this site, Social Security offers other ways to help you with your finances. For example, you can use the online *Retirement Estimator* to get a personalized, instant estimate of what your future retirement benefits will be in different situations. The estimator is available at www.socialsecurity.gov/estimator.

Learn more about Social Security at www.socialsecurity.gov.

For more about the basics of financial education, whether you're buying a house or balancing your checkbook, visit www.mymoney.gov.

From the Community Development Department

The following are the statistics for Code Enforcement for the period of March 1 through May 31, 2010: new complaints 108; cases resolved 68; and cases still open 40.

Code Enforcement duties have been shared by the Community Development Department staff with Brok Armantrout, Director, and Gerianne Hansen, Community Development Specialist, taking on the bulk of the investigation and violator contact. In many cases, residents take quick, corrective action once they have been notified about a problem. The most frequent reported violation deals with weeds, junk, junk cars and stagnant swimming pools.

City and NDOT Improve Bus Shelters

At the June 8 City Council meeting, Council approved Resolution No. 5576 approving Agreement No. 10-1317 between the City of Boulder City and the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT) to fund improvements to bus shelters in Boulder City through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).

In April of 2009, the Public Works Staff learned of a grant opportunity for transit funding in rural areas and submitted an application to NDOT. Since that time, Public Works Staff has worked with NDOT to submit all of the required documentation to support the attached funding agreement. The total project funding amount is \$250,000. The federal funding has been approved under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009 as allocated to the Federal Transit Administration. Unlike normal federal funding, the ARRA funds do not require a local match.

Highlights of the agreement are as follows:

1. The City is responsible for administration of all aspects of the projects, including environmental clearances, proof of right-of-way ownership, design, and construction.

- 2. The City must include specific language in the contract to make sure Disadvantage Business Enterprises have an equal opportunity to compete for and perform contracts.
- 3. The City must submit draft contract documents to NDOT at the 60%, 90%, and 100% stages.
- 4. All Federally required procurement clauses must be in the City's contract documents.
- 5. Both the contactor(s) and City staff will be required to submit monthly employee reports similar to the other ARRA funded projects managed by the Public Works Department.
- 6. The project must be advertised by July 30, 2010.
- 7. All work must be completed by September 30, 2011.

The Public Works Department identified 15 locations in Boulder City where improvements could be made to existing bus stops. There will be shelters at each RTC bus stop. Costs are as follows:

	Quantity	Unit Cost	Total
Design			\$ 20,000
Shelter	15	\$ 10,000	\$150,000
Concrete Pad	7	\$ 1,200	\$ 8,400
Site Improvements	10	\$ 185	\$ 1,850
Shelter Install	15	\$ 4,650	\$ 69,750
Total			\$250,000

City staff plans to utilize a design-build project delivery method. The City will establish the total contract cost and basic parameters for the project. Designers and builders work together as a team to submit concept plans. The City will select one or more contractors to enter into contracts to complete construction of the new shelters.

BCTV Programs On Demand

We have recently added BCTV programs to the City Council Video Page on the city website, www.bcnv.org. Just click on the **Public Information Media** section and choose the program you want to watch. You are also able to download any of these programs. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call 293-9358.

New Henderson Veterans' Center

The Henderson Vet Center at 400 North Stephanie is now open to serve Veterans and their family members for military related issues at no cost to the Veteran or the family. The Vet Center also serves as a link for the Veterans to other services in the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.

The Henderson Vet Center is a 4,000 square foot facility designed to provide quality care services for Combat Veterans and their families. These services include individual, group and family counseling as

well as treatment for Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), bereavement and victims of military sexual trauma.

The center is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Evening and weekend hours are available for those unable to schedule services during the week. For more information about the Henderson Vet Center, go to www.vetcenter.va.gov or www.lasvegas.va.gov or call 791-9100.

Upcoming Events

✓ Saturday, June 12, there will be a Free Fishing Day at the Boulder City Fishing Pond in Veterans Memorial Park. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. Fishing event from 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. There will be prizes, fishing instruction, casting lessons, fish art booth, water safety and more! Free loaner equipment provided. The first 300 youth receive a free tackle box! For more information go to www.ndow.org or call 486-5127 ext. 3503 or Patty Sullivan at 293-9340.



- ✓ Tuesday, June 15 from 12 noon until 1 p.m., a financial seminar on "Refinancing" will be held in the Council Chambers of City Hall. This is free and open to the public. Call to reserve a space by calling Bryce Boldt at 293-9203 or e-mail: bboldt@bcnv.org. This workshop/seminar will be conducted by Ron Hardy and will focus on key questions of refinancing, finding the right loan for you and mortgage myths. This seminar is part of a continuing series sponsored by the City of Boulder City and the Society for Financial Awareness.
- ✓ The Tony Deaugustine Quartet The Boulder City Friends of the Arts presents the Tony Deaugustine jazz quartet on June 19, 2010 at 7 p.m. at the library amphitheatre. This concert is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be available and free popcorn will be provided. Donations are always welcome.
- ✓ Join the staff and volunteers at the Father's Day Bash at the Nevada State Veterans Home here in Boulder City on Sunday, June 20 from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. There will be a barbeque provided by Events Unlimited and a car show sponsored by the BC Pandraggers. Come celebrate with America's Heroes at 100 Veterans Memorial Drive. For more information, call Angela Metcalf at 332-6741.
- ✓ Concert at Grace Community Church The Land of Lakes Choirboys of Minnesota will perform at Grace Community Church on Friday, June 25, 2010 at 7 p.m. Location: 1150 Wyoming Street. Event is free to the public but donations are gladly accepted. Call the church office at 293-2018 for further details.
- ✓ Concert: It's All About Love takes place on Friday, June 25, 2010 at 7:30 p.m. Vocalist Michael Miele will perform in concert at the Boulder City Library Amphitheatre to benefit the programs of Family Promise of Las Vegas. These programs help families transition from homelessness to independence through compassionate shelter, guidance and education. It is estimated that on any given night throughout Clark County, 13,388 people are homeless. The Clark County School District estimates that 5,220 children enrolled can be identified as homeless. For tickets to this benefit, go to http://web.mac.com/bruceewing/Family_Promise_LV_Tickets/Welcome.html or call 638-8806.

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